

WHAT IS CLAIMED:

1. A combination money clip and bottle cap opener, comprising:
a clip body extending to a bend portion;
5 a clip arm extending back along said clip body from said bend portion, said clip arm having a spring clip biased against said clip body; and
said bend portion defining a cap aperture shaped to receive a bottle cap.
2. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 1, wherein said bend
10 portion further defines an anchor portion and a lifting portion, said lifting portion shaped to lift a bottle cap.
3. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 2, wherein said lifting
portion includes a pointed projection.
- 15 4. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 2, wherein said lifting portion includes a flat projection.
5. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 2, wherein said lifting
20 portion includes a tab shaped to fit beneath an edge of a bottle cap.
6. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 1, wherein said spring clip is formed to hold an item between said clip arm and said clip body.
- 25 7. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 6, wherein said item is at least one of: currency; a document; and a plastic card.

8. The combination money clip and bottle cap opener of claim 1, wherein said spring clip has at least one of a bow shape and a v-shape.

9. A method for forming a combination money clip and cap opener, comprising:

5 providing a sheet of material having a long axis and a shorter axis perpendicular to said long axis;

forming a cutout along said shorter axis, said cutout having a substantially symmetrical shape about said shorter axis; and

10 bending said sheet of material along said shorter axis to form a clip having a body portion and an arm portion, said arm portion formed to press against said body portion, said cutout defining a cap aperture having a lifting portion and an anchor portion.

10. The method of claim 9, wherein said material is a rigid material having a thickness of approximately 0.025-.05".

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11. The method of claim 9, wherein said sheet of material has a substantially rectangular shape.

12. The method of claim 9, wherein said lifting portion has at least one of a pointed projection, a flat projection, and a tab projection to fit beneath a bottom of a bottle cap.

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13. The method of claim 9, wherein said arm portion includes a spring portion having at least one of a curved shape and a v-shape.

25 14. A clip formed from a single sheet of material, comprising:

a clip body extending to a bend portion;

a clip arm extending from said bend portion back along said clip portion;

biasing means causing said clip arm to press against said clip body; and

a cap aperture, formed in said bend portion and shaped to receive a bottle cap,
said cap aperture having a lifting portion and an anchor portion.

- 5 15. The clip of claim 14, wherein said sheet of material is substantially elongated in shape.
16. The clip of claim 14, wherein said sheet of material is a rigid sheet of material.
- 10 17. The clip of claim 14, wherein said biasing means is at least one of a spring clip and a magnet.